

THE WEATHER—Rain or snow tonight and Thursday.

day.

Hartley's

In Every Detail Fairmont's Leading Retail Establishment.

Jacobs-Hutchinson Block, Fairmont, W. Va.

BLANKETS AND COMFORTS.

Have plenty of both—that cold night has come and we've had several extra-bed-covering nights already.

A bed of coldness is very apt to become a bed of sickness.

Blankets

THE "BEACON," \$2 and \$2.25 Pair—Made of the choicest, thoroughly cleaned cotton, and as soft as the finest wool, absolutely fast color. You never saw blankets that looked like these; they're new—an innovation in blanket making—colors are blue, pink and old rose, and every blanket full size.

Other Cotton Blankets from 58c pair up.

FAMOUS "BARNESVILLE" BLANKETS

\$3.75 Pair, Size 80x90 inches.

Your great-grandfather probably used this famous blanket, and for the same reason you should use it now.

Heavier and larger than a \$5 city blanket, better service, better patterns.

FINEST WOOL BLANKETS,

\$6 to \$15 Pair.

The finest qualities in the city.

Comforts

THE "MAISH," \$2 and \$2.50 EACH

We've tried many comforts, but none fill the bill half so well as the **Laminated Cotton Down Comfort** bearing the name "Maish". By a wonderful new process, the longest fibres of the finest, snow white cotton are separated, curled and woven into a thick soft downy piece: there are no lumps, no thin places, and consequently no place to flatten.

The price may be a little more than you have been used to paying, but the quality will be much higher in proportion.

OTHER COMFORTS

\$1, \$1.38, \$1.50 and \$1.65.

Good comforts, too—better than you will find elsewhere for the same money and extra large stocks to select from.

61 SCHOLARS

Are Now Taking Free Embroidery Lessons.

WE WANT OVER A HUNDRED.

Don't let anything keep you away from this fascinating work—it's free and only takes an hour a day. Come mornings or afternoons—but come.

Underwear and Hosiery

Owing to the terrific advance in the price of labor and material during the past nine months the market conditions in these particular lines have been very peculiar, for in spite of the advance of more than 25 per cent, the best mills in the country are all sold up.

Those who did not buy at least six months ago were obliged to buy what was left over—principally odd lots—and they had to pay good, high prices, too. We were lucky to buy just before the advance in price and we bought liberally. You'll find our qualities higher—our prices lower—stocks satisfactory.

For Men

UNDERWEAR.

AT 50c—Men's heavy fleece lined or eoru Jersey ribbed, shirts and drawers. Extra sizes to 50 inches.

AT 75c—Fine Jersey Ribbed shirts and drawers, nicely finished, fleece lined—you pay \$1 elsewhere for no better.

AT \$1—Men's Natural gray in two weights and scarlet Medicated Wool. Double breasted shirts, \$1.25.

AT \$1.50—Extra heavy, natural gray, shirts and drawers, full fashioned and regular made.

AT \$1.75—Pure white wool shirts and drawers

AT \$2—Pure Wool, extra heavy.

"Munsing" Union Suits.

No shirt to pull up.
No drawers to pull down.
All in one piece, comfortable and elastic.
Lots of men are wearing **Union Suits**, and most of them in this town are wearing the "Munsing."

\$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3 and \$4.

HOSIERY.

Fancy Cotton, 15, 25 and 50c pair.
Cashmere, 25 and 50c.
Black, oxford gray and natural wool, heavy blue and gray socks, 25c.

For Women

UNDERWEAR.

AT 25c—Fleece lined, ribbed vests and pants, extra sizes up to 44 inch.

AT 39c—A half-dollar-quality—winter weight, fleece lined, finished and trimmed like a 50c garment and full worth it.

AT 50c—The famous "Merode" (hand-finished) Underwear, heavy cotton vests and pants with and without fleece lining. Extra sizes.

AT \$1—Silk and cotton mixed, also wool in natural, white and scarlet.

AT \$1.50—Silk and Wool mixed.

Union Suits.

AT 50c—Cotton ribbed.

AT \$1—Cotton, and extra sizes at \$1.25.

AT \$1.50—Cotton and wool mixed.

AT \$2—Wool and silk and cotton mixed.

AT \$2.50—Wool and Silk and wool.

HOSIERY.

Cotton, 10, 15, 25, and 50c.
Cashmere, 25, 35, and 50c.
Fancies, 25, 50 and 75c.
Extra large sizes in all weights.

For the Man who Needs Them

THAT HE MAY KNOW WHERE TO GET THEM.

Lumberman's Socks—with Rubbers, \$2.75 and \$3.50 pair.

Felt Boots combination—Ball Band—\$2.50 and \$3.

Men's Gum Boots, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50.

One Buckle Arties, \$1.50 and \$2.

Two Buckle Arties, \$2.00

Four Buckle Arties, \$2.50.

Men's Leather Boots, light weight, machine sewed, \$3.25.

Heavy Kip Boots, pegged, \$3.50.

Men's High Top Shoes, \$3 to \$7.

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PERSONAL

Mrs. C. E. Scott, of Junior, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Della Shinn, on Pierpont avenue.

Miss Edna Borling, who has been here for several weeks with her sister, Mrs. M. A. Fletcher, who has been ill, has gone to her home in Harrison county, on account of the illness of her sister, Miss Virginia Borling.

Mrs. Leigh Fleming went to Grafton today to attend the Rutherford Davis wedding, which will be celebrated this evening.

Mrs. J. M. Howard, of Masontown, Pa., spent last night here at the home of his son, Dr. E. W. Howard. He was en route home from a visit with relatives in Parkersburg.

Dr. J. W. McDonald left last night for New York, where he will attend the American International Congress on Tuberculosis.

Mrs. R. A. Watt's and Mrs. Carrie Satterfield went to Hivesville yesterday to attend the funeral services of Mr. R. R. Merrill.

Clyde Holland, of Pittsburg, is a visitor in the city today.

Miss Grace Yoke, who had been the guest of Miss Zora Kinsey for several days, has returned to her home in Morgantown. Miss Florence Whitford, of Baltimore, arrived here Sunday and will be Miss Kinsey's guest for two weeks.

Mrs. Jared Wamsley, who had been the guest of her brother, B. L. Butcher, for several days, left this afternoon for her home in Beverly. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Butcher, who will spend some time there.

Gospel Meetings.

Gospel meetings are still going on at the old Fifth ward school house. There is a good interest among those that are attending. Nothing is being preached but what is Bible, and all days, has returned to her home in Morgantown. Miss Florence Whitford, of Baltimore, arrived here Sunday and will be Miss Kinsey's guest for two weeks.

Great Service

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denunciation rebuked the king for his wickedness, then said, "Thy Kingdom is divided and given to the Medes and Persians." In that night was Belshazzar slain.

Weighed in the balances and found wanting. How many in Fairmont are found wanting? There are men in this city who make money their God and cannot see outside the rim of a dollar. Some have made society their God and have forgotten the God of heaven. The curse of India and of Fairmont, too, is cast. It is not down from the piano to the kitchen. The man who washes your buggy, the girl who works in your kitchen is as good as you are if they fear God and keep his commandments.

Many men make whiskey their God. Nobody but a fool will drink it and nobody but a fiend will sell it. Nothing destroys so much happiness and ruins so many lives. The man who swears is not excusable for the silliest and most foolish of all sins.

"Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain." The man who swears is a dishonor to his father, to his wife and children and the mother who bore him.

"Thou shalt honor thy father and thy mother." There is only one law above that of father and mother and that is God's law.

"Thou shalt not kill." There are more ways of killing than with knife or pistol. There are many husbands crushing the life out of a devoted wife because of his ungodly life. There is many a woman crushing the life of her husband because of her silly, frivolous, ungodly life.

"Thou shalt not steal." The man who does not pay equivalent for honest labor is a thief; the man who does not give honest labor for his pay is a thief.

"Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor." How careless men and women are about their words. Yea, verily, falsely represent to others our neighbors.

Jesus came to fill the balances for us. Without him and his salvation you will be found wanting.

The subject of the sermon for tonight is, "The World's Redeemer." The service will begin at 7:30. Come early so as to get a favorable seat.

THE OFFICIAL VOTE IN MONONGALIA.

County Court Proclaimed the Result—No Surprises Found.

MORGANTOWN, Nov. 14.—The official vote of Monongalia county has been ascertained. The result has been declared by the county court. The ballots counted for each candidate were as follows:

For Congress, George C. Sturgiss, R., 2,488; M. H. Dent, D., 1,370; Baylis Ward, Prohibitionist, 72; W. T. Davidson, Socialist, 58. Total vote for Congressman 3,958. Plurality for Mr. Sturgiss, 1,118.

For State Senate, Benjamin F. Bailey, R., 2,570; John Phillips, D., 1,311; Edward W. Mills, Prohibitionist, 93; J. B. West, Socialist, 66. Total vote for State Senator, 4,030. Mr. Bailey's plurality, 1,259.

For the Legislature, W. C. McGrew, R., 2,507; Zisari Ammons, R., 2,371; T. P. Reay, D., 1,488; W. H. West, Prohibitionist, 120; U. S. Straight, Prohibitionist, 92. Plurality for McGrew, 1,109, for Mr. Ammons, 983.

For Commissioner, J. W. Holland, R., 2,075; John F. Chipps, D., 1,796; C. G. Haewell, Prohibitionist, 95. The total vote was 3,960. Plurality for Holland was 285.

For superintendent of schools, Jesse L. W. J. Hamilton, Prohibitionist, 94. Total vote, 3,959. Mr. Henry's plurality was 1,179.

It will be seen that the largest vote was polled for State Senator, and that J. F. Bailey received more votes than any other candidate, and his plurality was largest.

The largest vote for a Democrat was that for Chipps, and the next largest was for Reay.

The largest Prohibitionist vote was 120, and the highwater mark of Socialism was 66.

About 200 ballots were spoiled by marking in the wrong way or failing to mark at all. From an examination of the spoiled ballots, without actually counting and checking off the names, it would appear that they were divided about equally between the Republican and Democratic parties. It was impossible to tell how some of them were intended. They were not marked at all. In most cases the ballots were spoiled by carelessness and ignorance combined. It is not probable that many intelligent men lost their votes.

To Attend Grand Lodge.

In Tuesday's West Virginian it was stated that the Odd Fellows' Grand Lodge would meet next week in Charleston, W. Va., when it should have read Charles Town, Jefferson county. Those who will attend from here are Capt. E. A. Billingsley, Geo. Vincent, L. G. Fitzhugh, O. J. Fleming and T. W. Boydston. Mrs. Kate Fletcher will represent the Rebekah Lodge in place of Mrs. Fawcett, as was stated in last evening's issue.

A big want ad in the West Virginian telling your whole story will cost less than the shoe leather you will wear out looking for what you want.

REFUSAL TO DISCOUNT AMERICAN BILLS.

A Rule, However, Which Applies to all Foreign Bills to Protect French Market.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—The Bank of France informs the Associated Press that its refusal to discount American bills must not be regarded as directed particularly against the United States. The rule applies to all foreign bills to which less than two French signatures are attached. It is pointed out that the measure was designed to protect the French market, where money is at 3 per cent. against the demands of foreign markets where the rate is 5 to 7 per cent.

The Associated Press also secured confirmation of the offer of the Bank of France to duplicate its loan operation to the Bank of England on the occasion of the latter's failure in 1890, when \$15,000,000 was borrowed by the Bank of England on exchange bills guaranteed by the Rothschilds. It is not considered likely, however, that the Bank of England, unless that institution is extremely hard pressed, will again subject itself to the humiliating criticism that the transaction evoked.

POLITICAL PREACHERS.

Dr. Russell Conwell Deplores Mixing of Pulpit in Campaigns.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 14.—Rev. Russell H. Conwell, pastor of Grace Baptist church, Broad and Berks streets, at the close of his sermon Sunday, to a large congregation, referred in a general way to politics. Dr. Conwell was one of the clergymen who had nothing to say on politics during the campaign, deciding to hold aloof until after election. Dr. Conwell laid stress on the action of certain clergymen who dabbled in politics and gave their opinions during the campaign, and said that he was opposed to such action on the part of any minister of the gospel.

He said: "I am glad that the election is over and now that it is I can say with perfect truth that Philadelphia is a clean city. Throughout the State the people whom I met are always willing to accept a good word for this city. When William Penn looks down from his lofty perch on top of City Hall, over this great city, he looks upon one of the most religious cities in the whole world. I do not believe that ministers have any right to dabble in politics. When the church does enter politics it becomes a place of political gossip."

GEMS STREWN IN STREET.

Insane Woman Scatters Broadcast Diamonds Valued at \$50,000.

GALVESTON, Tex., Nov. 14.—Fifty thousand dollars' worth of diamonds have been scattered about Galveston and Houston, and May Alvido, wife of Myron Alvido, who has lived at both places, is in jail hopelessly insane. She adopted a method of getting rid of her wealth more rapidly than that of Andrew Carnegie, for to remote friends, and even strangers, she gave away diamonds, and some of the precious gems she recklessly cast upon the streets of Houston and Galveston. Wild scramble for their possession ensued.

May Alvido, in Houston, ran the Standard variety show. Most of her wealth was invested in the finest and largest stones. She still has many of her countless rings, but the settings have been removed and either given or thrown away. Her arrest occurred at the Grand Central station, in Houston, where, in fear of imaginary enemies, she was attempting to scale a high iron picket fence.

In Galveston, Saturday, she bought great quantities of household goods and ordered them sent to imaginary addresses. None of the jewels have been recovered.

A ROUGH JOURNEY FOR THE AMERICANS.

Suffer From Bad Food and Water on The Trip From Fez to Tangier, Morocco.

PARIS, Nov. 14.—Commander J. C. Fremont, the United States naval attaché here, who was a member of the mission of Minister Gummere to Fez, has returned to Paris, leaving Capt. Wm. S. Guillard, the United States military attaché, another member of the expedition, at Tangier. Mr. Gummere's special secretary, Wm. O'D. Iselin, of New York, sailed from Gibraltar for the United States November 7 to report to the State Department at Washington.

The American party had an extremely arduous journey on mules and horses from Fez to Tangier, all the travelers suffering more or less from the bad food and water. When Commander Fremont left Fez it was Mr. Gummere's intention to remain there six weeks longer. Mrs. Ballard Griffith, who accompanied the American mission to the Moroccan capital, was dangerously ill from dysentery, and fears were entertained for her recovery. Commander Fremont and Captain Guillard rode back to Fez in five days, leaving their escort trailing in the rear.

FAIRMONT ICE AND FUEL CO.

M. M. Foster, Manager.
Office—34 Main Street. Phones—F and M, 598; Bell 332.

COOK HOSPITAL NOTES.

Miss Matilda Watson was admitted to the hospital on Tuesday.

Miss Nellie Krumme, who has been ill here for several days, was dismissed today.

Mrs. Fred Lenhart, of Fairmont, was dismissed Monday.

Joe Gerab, of Holland, this State, is a surgical patient admitted Tuesday.

Herman Runtea, of Fairmont, was admitted yesterday.

News from the Nurses.

Misses Elizabeth Armstrong and Olga Meister, who had been nursing at Fairview, have returned to the hospital.

Miss Augusta Miller has returned from nursing a patient at Hammond.

Miss Dannie Protzman has returned to the hospital after nursing a child of C. F. Jenkins on Gaston avenue.

Miss Maine Logan has gone to Elkins to nurse a patient.

For pure home made lard go to Satterfield's, Watson Hotel Building.

IT IS NOT IMPOSSIBLE.

We have been told since starting our 50 cent book sale that it was impossible to sell these books at that price.

You have but to call to prove that it is not only possible, but an absolute fact. The most up-to-date, readable books to be had at 50 cents.

A. G. MARTIN CO.,

MAY LOWE BARKER,
STENOGRAPHER,
322 MAIN STREET
SECOND FLOOR ROOM 5

STEMPLE'S Strong Line of Shirt Waists.

We call attention to our showing in this line with a degree of satisfaction that is not usually experienced.

One of our best sellers is a white shirt waist with pleated bosom and sleeves, nicely trimmed with embroidery, with both long and short sleeves, at \$1.00.

In a better quality of goods we are showing some popular styles with full tucked front, elaborately trimmed with lace inserting of medallions and other pleasing effects at \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

A handsome line of black silk shirt waists of good heavy quality, made up full, with pleats, tucks and braid trimming at \$3.50.

A swell line of navy blue and black silk shirt waists at \$4.00.

The Five Dollar Line.

When it comes to placing on the market something of a finer quality, eminently stylish and perfect in fit and make, we almost do our shirt waist stock an injustice in offering a line so good for \$5.00. These come in black, white and all the fancy plaid silks and will add elegance of grace and beauty to any form. A beautiful line of elaborate net waist is also included in this lot and we ask you to see what you can get here before you purchase.

They are \$5.00.

E. C. Stemple & Co.

RANDALL'S

To Whom This May Concern:
A Few Suggestions

Buy good clothes where you get the best for less.
Buy the Graduated brand for Men.
Buy Mrs. Jane Hopkins' boy proof clothes for your boys.
Buy the best shoes that's kept in your city.
Buy the best hats that you find in the State.
Buy everything you need for yourself or your boys where you get the best, noblest and most up-to-date goods on the market to-day.

C. F. RANDALL & CO

Under the Mayors Office

Close Every Evening at 6, except Saturday, at 11:30 p. m.

NEXT!



It's going to be a close shave. I don't know whether it's you or your next door neighbor, but I expect one of you will let me measure you for a new fall suit or overcoat inside of the next twenty-four hours. Here's what I guarantee:

Perfect Fit Correct Style
Fine Work Good Work
Or No Pay
Suits and Overcoats \$15 UP

Taylor the Tailor,

P. O. Building, Parks Ave., makes the clothes and does it for 25 per cent. less than any other good tailor gets for equally good tailoring.

See Our \$2.00 Hats. All Shapes They Are the Talk of the Town.

Pressing, Cleaning and Repairing done on short notice. Called for and delivered. Both Phones. Give us a trial. Once a customer always a customer.